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Assigned to: Appropriations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Pensions and Retirement - Accidental Disability Applications**

3 FOR the purpose of repealing a provision of law that prohibits the Board of Trustees
4 for the State Retirement and Pension System from accepting an application for
5 accidental disability retirement more than a certain number of years after the
6 date of a claimed accident; providing for the application of this Act; and
7 generally relating to applications for accidental disability filed with the State
8 Retirement and Pension System.

9 BY repealing

10 Article - State Personnel and Pensions

11 Section 29-104(d)

12 Annotated Code of Maryland

13 (1997 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

16 **Article - State Personnel and Pensions**

17 29-104.

18 [(d) (1) This subsection does not apply to an application for special disability
19 under the State Police Retirement System.

20 (2) The Board of Trustees may not accept an application for accidental
21 disability filed by a member or former member more than 5 years after the date of the
22 claimed accident.]

23 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be
24 construed retroactively and shall be applied to and interpreted to affect an application
25 submitted on or after July 1, 1999.

26 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
27 July 1, 2000.